Preservation Resources

World WideWeb

Preparing, Protecting, Preserving Family Treasures - This website, from the Library of Congress, provides simple instructions, as well as links to more comprehensive information for "Preparing, Protecting, Preserving" many types of family treasures. http://www.loc.gov/preserv/familytreasures/index.html

Preservation Leaflets – The Northeast Document Conservation Center provides printable Preservation Leaflets with information on a wide variety of preservation topics, supplier contact information, and links to additional resources. http://www.nedcc.org/resources/leaflets.introduction.php

The E. Lingle Craig Preservation Laboratory Repair and Enclosure Treatment Manual - from Indiana University. A thorough manual documenting repair and enclosure treatments as well as the necessary tools and supplies. http://www.indiana.edu/~libpres/manual/manfront.html

The American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works (AIC) – This organization provides information on locating and working with a conservator as well as a variety of pamphlets on caring for your treasures http://aic.stanford.edu/

Books

Greenfield, Jane. The Care of Fine Books. New York: Nick Lyons Books, 1988.

Long, Jane S. and Richard W. Long. Caring for Your Family Treasures: Heritage Preservation. New York: H.N. Abrams, 2000.

Rosenberg, Margot and Bern Marcowitz. The Care and Feeding of Books Old and New: A Simple Repair Manual for Book Lovers. New York: Thomas Dunne Books/St. Martin's Press, 2002.

Schultz, Arthur W. Caring for Your Collections. New York: Harry N. Abrams, Inc. 1992.

Suppliers

Hollanders - http://www.hollanders.com/ - in Ann Arbor. The carry a large selection of tools, supplies, and books to learn basic book repair. They also occasionally offer book repair workshops.

Gaylord - http://www.gaylord.com/ - A library supply company that sells a large selection of preservation supplies.

Archival Products - http://www.archival.com/ - They carry a wide variety of archival boxes, folders, and other enclosures.